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INVENTOR: Forrest Bacon

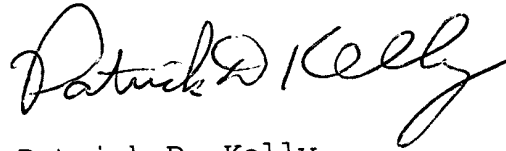
TITLE: BUILDING MATERIALS FROM NEEDLE-PUNCHED FIBER MATS
WITH GRANULAR HEAT-ACTIVATED ADHESIVES

~~An Abstract and~~ Specification including Claims
3 sheets of informal drawings
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Respectfully submitted,

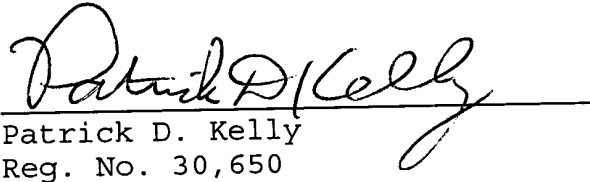
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I hereby certify that this U.S. patent application, in the name of Forrest Bacon, entitled **BUILDING MATERIALS FROM NEEDLE-PUNCHED FIBER MATS WITH GRANULAR HEAT-ACTIVATED ADHESIVES**, including a specification, claims, 3 sheets of informal drawings, and a check for \$375.00, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service as "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee" under Certificate No. EU593914625, in an envelope addressed to: MS PATENT APPLICATION, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 8th day of September 2003.


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